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Poughkeepsie 4<sup>th</sup> March 1779

Dear Sir,

I was favoured with the Receipt  
of your Letter of the 20<sup>th</sup> Ult<sup>o</sup>. Yesterday having just  
sent off by Express an Answer to yours of the 30<sup>th</sup>. I  
enclose a Copy. - I also transmit you a Copy of the  
Act of the Legislature mentioned in it. -

I am convinced that the Legislature  
of this State place the highest Confidence in the  
Head of the Commissarys Department and do not consider  
him as deserving the least Censure for the Deficiencies  
in the present Supplies for the Army they at the same  
Time cannot believe that the Executions of some of the  
Assistants in putting their last Law into Execution have  
been



have been such as might have been wished.

I would not be desirous of taking upon myself the appointment of any Officer in your Department without consulting with you personally on the subject indeed I conceive very few attractions are at present necessary - perhaps an addition of one or two active Men may be proper.

I am Dear Sir

with great regard

& esteem

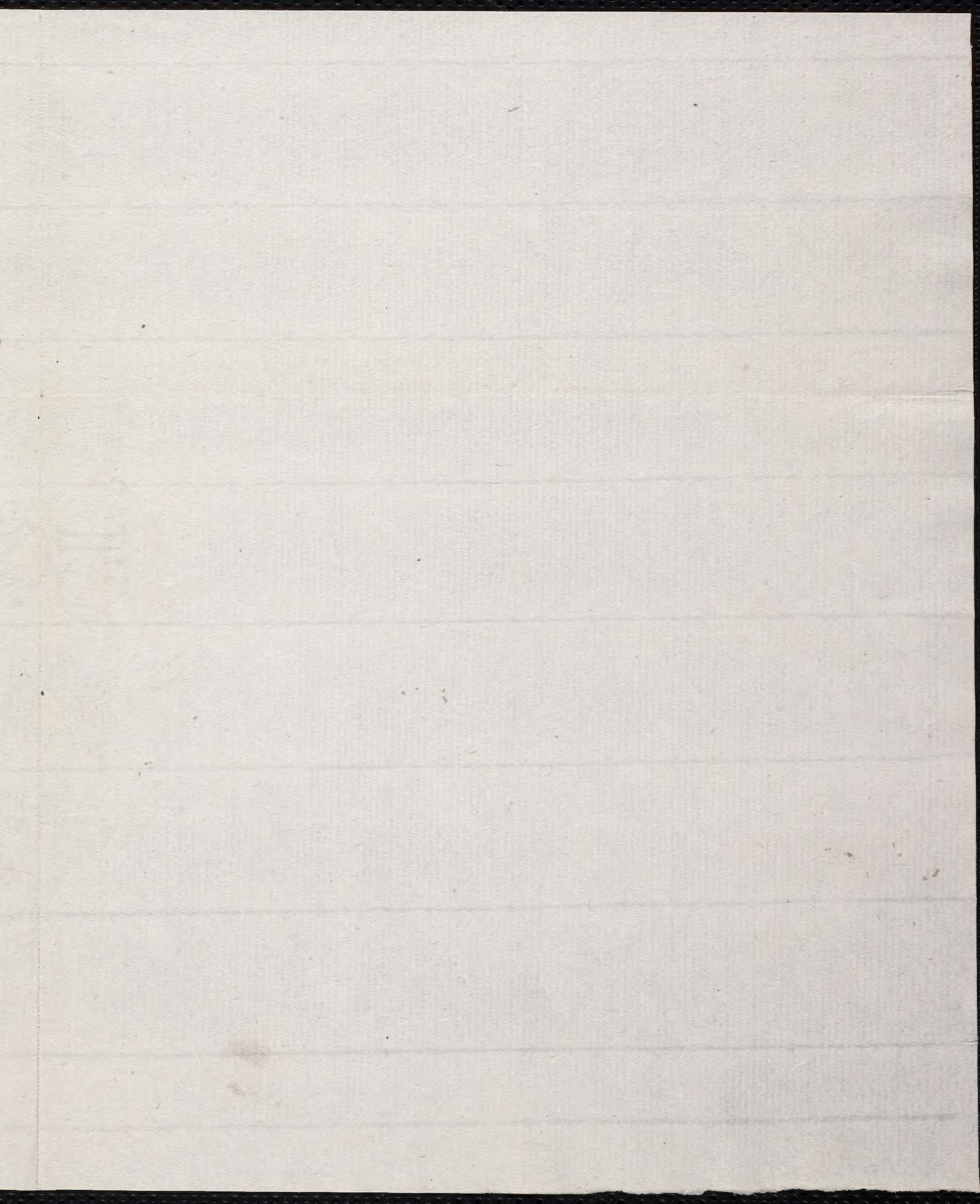
Yours most

obedient

Chas. Wadsworth

W. B. E. M. S.







Excellency Governor Clinton

March 4<sup>th</sup> 1779 —

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